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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Applicant has reviewed the Office Action mailed on August 29, 2002. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain one-month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from November 29, 2002 to December 29, 2002.

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IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the claim set in the appendix entitled Clean Version of Pending Claims for the previously pending claim set. The substitute claim set is intended to reflect cancellation of claims 1 and 32, and the amendment of previously pending claim 2, 3, 4, 10, 12, 18, 25, 28, 31 and 36. The specific amendments to individual claims are detailed in the following marked up set of claims.

1. (Cancelled)
2. (Amended) A wet-wipe comprising a non-woven composite elastic material comprising:
at least one non-woven elastic layer;
at least one non-woven gatherable layer;
[at least one non-woven gatherable layer;] wherein the gatherable layer is bonded to the elastic layer at at least two points; and the gatherable layer is gathered between the bonded points; wherein the composite elastic material has a cup crush less than about 120 g per cm and a CD tensile strength of greater than about 0.68 pounds; and a liquid.

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